



*August 5, 2011*

Station 3 firefighters rescued a construction worker who fell approximately eight feet into a 6' x 8' concrete enclosure on Tuesday at a construction site at Gateway Village (located on the southwest corner of Franklin Road and Moores Lane). **Lt. Sean Smith, Engineer Dan Doss, Firefighters Steven Holmes and Geoff Manfre, and Firefighter-Paramedic Chris Shadowens** worked together to immobilize the patient in the enclosure and extricate him. Although he complained of injuries, the worker was responsive after being pulled to safety. He was transported to a local hospital by Williamson Medical Center EMS.

**Engineering's Kevin Comstock** was selected to receive the John R. Harper Memorial Scholarship for \$2,000 by the Tennessee Section Institute of Transportation Engineers. Kevin is working on his BS in Professional Studies with a concentration in Organizational Leadership while working full time for the City as ITS Project Manager. Congratulations to Kevin for his hard work and perseverance.



**Franklin Police Sergeant Scott Butler won two "top-shot" honors from an International Defensive Pistol Association competition held in Manchester last weekend.** The main goal of the association is to test the skill and ability of an individual. For the third year in a row, Sergeant Butler was awarded the **High Law Enforcement Award** and he also walked away with **1<sup>st</sup> place in the Master Class Stock Service Pistol Competition**. Well done Sergeant Butler!

**City Attorney Shauna Billingsley** is the Tennessee Bar Association's Young Lawyer Representative for this district and she will be coordinating a "Wills for Heroes" event set for October 1<sup>st</sup>, at the Franklin Police Department from 8am-5pm. This event will provide wills, free of charge, to first responders, including fire, police, EMS and sheriff deputies. If anyone is interested in volunteering by being either a witness or a notary to the wills please contact Shauna at [shauna.billingsley@franklinton.gov](mailto:shauna.billingsley@franklinton.gov). If you are a first responder, Shauna will be providing information and sign up times soon.

The **Williamson County Fair begins tonight through August 13**. Temperatures are expected to be very hot, so be careful and stay hydrated. The City has many employees who work the fair from **Solid Waste, Building and Neighborhood Services, Fire and Police**. I thank all those employees who represent our City so well. The theme this year has a Western Flair and will feature a Great American Frontier Show and Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show. For more information go to [www.williamsoncountyfair.org](http://www.williamsoncountyfair.org). **Franklin Mayor Dr. Ken Moore** will be cutting the rug and representing Franklin in an opening ceremony line dance competition. Send him good thoughts or go support him at 5:30pm on the main stage. The dancer/mayor with the most applause will win!

We have a **blood drive** scheduled for August 25<sup>th</sup> at City Hall. To donate, contact [moniquem@franklintn.gov](mailto:moniquem@franklintn.gov) or 550-6606.

**Milissa Reiersen, Communications Manager is the winner of the Mayor's parking spot** next week! **Amanda Hall, from the Planning and Sustainability Department nominated Milissa.** Amanda said, *"Milissa always conducts herself with the utmost level of courtesy and professionalism. Being fairly new to my position with the City, she has worked hard with me to ensure that preservation-related projects and events are promoted well and presented very creatively. The most recent preservation project, the Preservation Month "My Historic Franklin" photo campaign, certainly couldn't have gone better, thanks to Milissa! She updated Facebook regularly with photo submittals and promotions, and she figured out the best way to display the submittals at City Hall. I know that future preservation projects will continue to improve with Milissa as part of the team!"* Milissa will begin parking in the Mayor's spot on Monday, August 8-12. **If you see someone doing a good job, nominate them at [agoodjob@franklintn.gov](mailto:agoodjob@franklintn.gov) .**

Have a nice weekend Thank you for all you do.

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